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TO AMEMBASSY MANILA

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E.O. 11652:GDS

TAGS: CASC (GERLOCK, EDWARD)

SUBJECT:DEPORTATION OF AMERICAN CITIZEN CLERGY

REFS: A. MANILA 19221, B. MANILA 19249

1. IN TELEPHONE CONVERSATION DECEMBER 16 INITIATED BY EA/PHL COUNTRY DIRECTOR, FATHER GERLOCK WAS INVITED TO VISIT EA/PHL FOR DISCUSSION OF HIS SITUATION IF HE SO DESIRED. HE EXPRESSED APPRECIATION BUT DID NOT APPEAR EAGER TO DO SO AND HAS NOT SOUGHT APPOINTMENT. IN RESPONSE TO QUESTION ABOUT DENIAL OF CONSULAR ACCESS, HE STATED CATEGORICALLY THAT WHILE HE WAS BEING DETAINED PRIOR TO DEPORTATION HE SPECIFICALLY REQUESTED THAT HE BE PERMITTED TO TALK TO EMBASSY REPRESENTATIVE AND/OR LAWYER. HE SAID HIS REQUEST WAS IGNORED BY GOP OFFICIALS.

2. ACCORDING TO PHILIPPINE EMBASSY, IMMIGRATION COMMISSIONER REYES WILL BE RETURNING TO MANILA WITH IMELDA MARCOS, WHO IS NOW TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED TO DEPART NEW YORK ON DECEMBER 18 OR 19.  
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